

## SUMMER SOCIETY GOSSIP

Miss Hodgson  
To Be Bride of  
Dr. O. N. Torian

Dr. John H. P. Hodgson has announced the engagement of his sister, Miss Sarah Hodgson, of Sewanee, Tenn., to Dr. Oscar N. Torian, of Indianapolis, the wedding to take place September 19, in the Memorial Chapel of St. Luke, on the Sewanee University Campus. Miss Hodgson is the only daughter of the late Rev. Telfair Hodgson, long identified with the Episcopal Seminary in the Sewanee University, and Mrs. Francis Glen Potter Hodgson, originally from Georgia.

Owing to the death last June of Mrs. Hodgson, the marriage will be a quiet one. Miss Hodgson is a very accomplished young woman, who has been greatly admired in Richmond during her visit to her aunt, Mrs. Stephen Hughes, and the announcement of her engagement is distinctly interesting in Virginia, the home of her father, as well as in Tennessee.

Among the merry autumn weddings in the smart set of Richmond is that of Miss Etta May Briggs, daughter of John A. Briggs, to Joseph Francis Leonard, son of the late M. B. Leonard, of Richmond, and a popular young business man, and private secretary to George W. Stevens. The marriage will take place in the early fall.

Much interest is expressed in the approaching wedding of John B. Minor, of Richmond, and Mrs. Mary Scott Johns, of Warrenton. The wedding will take place in October.

Mr. Minor is popular in the exclusive social set of the Old Dominion, and is a leading lawyer. His bride-to-be is widely known throughout the State.

Mrs. Wilson Chamberlayne, of Washington, formerly Miss Kate Nelson, of Charlottesville, and sister-in-law to the famous beauty, Lady Nancy Leland, of London, will visit her cousin, Miss Nancy Randolph Kennon, at Norwood, on the James, during early September.

The wedding of Miss Agnes Gray Kennedy, of Warrenton, Va., to Dr. William Beverly Mason, of Washington, will take place in St. James Church, Warrenton, Va., this afternoon. Following the ceremony will be a reception at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Stephen Danziger Kennedy. Dr. and Mrs. Mason will make their home in Washington after October 1.

Miss Eva Lewis Brooks, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. V. Brooks, will be married to Henry Alfred Works at the home of her parents, September 10, at 7:30 o'clock. Miss Mary E. Johnston will be Miss Brooks' maid of honor and only attendant. J. Lester Brooks will be the best man. The Rev. J. L. Allison, pastor of the Gunton Church Temple, will officiate. The ceremony will be followed by a reception. The bride and bridegroom will live in Washington, and after the first of October will be at home in the Siasuehanna.

Miss Lucette Marguerite Hutton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hutton, of Baltimore, will be married today to Harold Ayle Pritchard, of Clifton, England. The wedding will take place in Newport, R. I., at 10 o'clock. The Rev. Dr. Emory H. Porter, officiating. The bride will be unattended and will be given away by her father, Charles Gardner, of Bristol, England, who will act as best man for Mr. Pritchard. The ushers will be Jesse Boynton, Richard MacSherry, and Patterson Harris, all of Baltimore. The ceremony will be followed by a wedding breakfast at the summer home of the bride's parents, "Shamrock Hill." The bridegroom, who graduated from Trinity College, Oxford, in 1898, is an English school master, and will take his bride to England to live.

M. des Portes de la Foss, counselor of the French embassy in Washington, and daughter of M. des Portes, who was entertained at luncheon yesterday at Newport, where they, with their daughter, Mlle. des Portes, have spent the season.

Miss Emily Tuckerman, of Washington, is entertaining Mrs. and Mrs. Theodore Davis Bowles, of Washington, in her summer home, Ingleside, at Stockbridge, Mass.

Judge Batcheller and Miss Kate Batcheller, of Washington, who have spent the summer in Saratoga and the Adirondacks, sailed today on the Deutschland, for Judge Batcheller's post as a member of the international court at Cairo, Egypt.

Mrs. Frank C. Larimore and her daughter, Miss Edith, who have been at the Wiehle House, Wiehle, Va., for the past two months, returned today to their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Milstead have returned from Cornwall, B. C., for a month's stay with relatives at Forest Glen, Md., before coming into the city. Mr. Milstead has been in charge of the agricultural experimental station for the past year.

Justice and Mrs. Blodgett, of the Rhode Island State commission, gave a reception at the Jamestown Exposition last week in the Rhode Island building, in honor of the daughter, Miss Gwendolen Blodgett, and the Misses Bryan, daughters of Paymaster Bryan, of Annapolis, who are attending the summer session of the Rhode Island State commission. Miss Blodgett was furnished by Phinney's Orchestra, and the large reception room was appropriately decorated for the occasion. The hostesses at the different State buildings with their guests were present, among whom were Mrs. W. H. Dunn, of the New York commission, and Miss Frank Dunn, Mrs. Nelson M. Henry, of the New York commission, Miss Mary Lynn Robins, Mrs. Monson, and the Misses Monson, of Connecticut; Miss Elizabeth Hines, of Pennsylvania; Misses Barrett and Miss Douglas, of Alexandria, who are visiting Miss Blodgett; Miss Mary Talbot, of Providence; Miss Annie Fauntleroy, Misses Lila Maria Tucker, Miss Virginia Garrison, Miss McBlair, of St. Louis; Misses Lucy, Eloise, and May Brooke, Miss Katherine Myers, Misses Lucretia and Clara Godwin, Albert Tucker, Dr. Paul Greene, Dr. Rupert Blue, the Civil War cadets, some of the officers of the Twenty-third Infantry, and several midshipmen from the Missouri.

The amateur circus given at Long Branch last Saturday was as great a financial success as it was a social affair. Ten thousand dollars is to be divided between the Protestant, Catholic, and Hebrew charities at Long Branch as a result of it. Five thousand people attended, and many more than that witnessed the unique street parade which preceded the opening of the big horse show grounds.

Miss May Adams, who has been touring Europe with Mr. and Mrs. Merriam, with whom she went abroad in June, has been taken very ill with diphtheria and is now in the southern part of France. Miss Adams went abroad early in the spring with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Pilsen, but returned in order to make this delightful trip with Mr. and Mrs. Merriam.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Evans, who have been spending the month of August at the Turk's Head Inn, Cape Ann, Mass., will return to their home in Washington the 1st of September. Miss Marjorie Evans, who has spent some

Lowden Children Go on Visit  
To Grandmother, Mrs. Pullman,  
In Her Elberon, N. J., Cottage

MRS. LOWDEN,  
Wife of Representative Frank O. Lowden, Daughter of the Late George M. Pullman, and Her Children.

The four interesting children of Representative and Mrs. Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, George M. Pullman Lowden, Florence, Harriet, and Frances, have gone to Elberon, N. J., to spend some weeks with their grandmother, the widow of the sleeping car magnate, George M. Pullman. Mrs. Pullman has recently opened her cottage there, after a few months' visit abroad. These children form one of the most interesting family groups in official society in Washington. Above all things, Colonel Lowden, who was once lieutenant colonel of the First Regiment of the Illinois National Guard, and Mrs. Lowden are devoted to their children. They have a magnificent estate, "Sinnissippi Farm," in northern Illinois, comprising 2,000 acres, where Colonel Lowden and his family have lived the year round until now, when he will have to spend

weeks in Atlantic City, will return here and join her parents when they return.

His royal highness Don Carlos of Bourbon, Duke of Madrid, and his wife, entertained at breakfast last week at the Schweizerhof in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Morgan, the former the American consul at Amsterdam, and Mrs. Morgan will remain in Lucerne, until the last of September when they will go to Amsterdam where Mr. Morgan has been transferred from Stuttgart, Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Justin R. Swift, of Pittsburgh, are the guests of Capt. W. B. Swift, U. S. A., at Richmond Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Richards and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Pearson, of Washington, arrived Tuesday at the Mt. Pleasant, Bretton Woods, N. H., from Portland.

An interesting wedding took place yesterday in the American consulate in Yokohama, Japan, when Miss Nellie Bishop Stobrand became the wife of Lieut. James Erling Walker, U. S. N. Lieutenant Walker has recently been very ill and in the naval hospital in Yokohama, and the bride, who was in Manila with her mother, hearing of his illness, went at once to Yokohama, accompanied by her mother, and remained near the hospital until her fiancé recovered sufficiently to get about again. The ceremony was performed as soon as his recovery was complete. Lieutenant Walker is a native of North Carolina and was appointed to the Naval Academy in 1891. He graduated in 1895 and was commissioned a lieutenant in 1902. He has been on duty in Yokohama since last June.

Announcement is expected soon of the betrothal of Prince Adalbert of Prussia to the Princess Thyra of Denmark, the third daughter of the King and Queen. The Princess is very tall and slender and much cultivated. She is twenty-six years old and very popular.

The Admiral of the Navy George Dewey has leased his home at 1747 Rhode Island avenue, familiar to the public as the "Gothic" home of the American people to the hero of Manila bay whom they idolized, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Mitchell, of Washington and New York. Mr. Mitchell is a millionaire clubman, and was married to Mrs. Augusta Hancock Hare less than a year ago. They have but just returned from their wedding trip in Europe and have gone to Mr. Mitchell's cottage in Newport for the rest of the hot weather.

Mrs. James L. Kernochan, who is in her cottage in Newport, will entertain at a large reception on Saturday evening in honor of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant, of Governor.

**Superfluous Hair.**  
Frowns, Red Vains, Bitch Marks, Freckles, Wrinkles permanently removed without the use of the knife. Only Licensed Graduated Physician at College.  
National Dermatological Institute  
11th and F Sts. N. W. Second floor.

Justice Brown  
To Spend Winter  
In Washington

Associate Justice Henry B. Brown, retired, and Mrs. Brown, who have spent the past fourteen months traveling in Europe and the Holy Land have returned to America. They did not open their house here on Sixteenth street, but went at once to the Maplewood at Lenox, Mass. They will return to Washington early in September, and to the delight of their very many friends, will spend the winter here. Their house, which has been closed through two summers and one winter season, has always been one of the most attractive centers for conservative and exclusive society.

A pretty masquerade was given on Monday evening at Handy's Farm, at Shellfield, Va., on the Potomac, where about 100 guests are, for the month of August. Many guests from adjacent resorts were among the masqueraders. The extensive lawns were decorated with Japanese lanterns, and the costumes were varied and pretty. Joseph Bailey, as a fairy, and John Evans as a clown, carried off the prizes.

Among those in costume were the Misses Alice Handy and Helen Landauer, as little girls. Mrs. Bartelme as cowboy, Bob Evans as baby, with H. Thompson as mamma, John Tucker, society belle; Lewis J. Thompson, ballet girl; Mrs. Lewis J. Thompson, Irishman; Misses Wright, Gessford, a yper, Collins, Harvey, Bee, and Tilley, with Mrs. Windsor and Barker, gentlemen; Mr. Bartelme, dancing girl; Miss Mary Handy, Hlawatha; George Evans, Polly Prim; Miss Gehman, from Philadelphia, Japanese; Mrs. Landauer, Frederick, Miss Dinah, James Miller, dancing girl; Miss Emelyn Shedd, queen of hearts; Miss Louise Cruik, Buster Brown; Mr. Windsor, as rough rider; C. Cruik, country girl; Lem Windsor, Mephistopheles; Mr. McCatherline, Sambo; Miss Monday, Korn Krinks, Indian; Mr. White, Charles, from Montgomery, as Baby dancing. Mrs. Richards as Country Girl, C. F. Gessford, from Philadelphia, as Dandy Duder; Miss Douglass as Flea occasion, Miss Wadkins, Japanese; Miss Nina Handy as Ghost; Miss Stewart, Martha Washington; Mr. Entrikin, Japanese Girl; W. E. Stewart, Lady; Miss Gregory, Colonial Dame; Miss Krahling, Fortune teller; Miss Helen Krahling, Cowboy; A. Krahling, Cheyenne; Miss Blanche Gessford, of Philadelphia, represented a Spanish Beauty, while Miss Una Gessford was a Rough Rider; Miss Mary Zimmerman, Lady Baltimore; Miss Sherman, Minnehaha; Roy Bow, Father Time; Miss Baurman, Sis Hopkins; Mr. Dalton, Salvo; Mrs. White, Clairvoyant. The four seasons were represented by the Misses Betts, Gessford, and Master Rose Montgomery.

The judges were Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Gessford, and Messrs. Harvey and Zimmerman. An orchestra, consisting of Miss Harvey, Mrs. Thompson, Joseph Bailey, and Mr. McCatherline, furnished the music. The dancing, Miss Harvey, an accomplished musician, presiding at the piano, which had been placed on the lawn for the occasion, and light refreshments were served, and a vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. Thompson for her untiring efforts to make the occasion a success.

COLONIAL BEACH TRIP  
FIXED FOR LABOR DAY

For the convenience of those who want to spend Monday next, Labor Day, at Colonial Beach, or who wish to go to the resort Saturday night or Sunday morning and remain until Monday evening, the Washington and Potomac Steamboat Company has arranged to have the St. Johns make a special trip to the resort Monday next, leaving here at 8:45 a. m., and reaching home on the return trip at about 10:30 p. m.

The festival at the Beach was never better, and the crabbing continues excellent. Although the summer excursion season is drawing to a close, large throngs are still at the resort and will remain there until the daily excursion season closes September 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bensinger have returned to their home on Massachusetts avenue, after spending a fortnight at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Abel and son, Milton, have returned to their home on K street, after spending several weeks at Pen Mar, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Fishel have returned to their home, after spending a couple of weeks at Atlantic City and New York city.

Dr. and Mrs. Andrew Stuart, with son and maid, and Miss Esther Schreind, have been summering at Mountain Lake Park, Md.

Miss Maud Garner was the guest for a few days of Mrs. P. Peyer, of U street, when en route from Atlantic City to her home in Newport News.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Helbrun and daughter, who have been spending the summer at River Springs, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wolf of Uniontown, Pa., with their family, have returned from a tour of Europe, and are the guests of relatives in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kohner and family have returned to Washington, after spending several weeks at "Ingleside," Rockville Pike road.

Mrs. Addie Sigmund has returned to her apartment at the Vernon, after spending a few weeks at Gaithersburg, Md.

Mrs. Z. Strasberger, of H street, has been visiting this summer at Saratoga and then Boston, as the guest in the latter place of her daughter, Mrs. Paul Coblentz.

## ROBBERS KILLS VICTIM.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 23.—Ruth Kane, a Ludlow milkman, was held up, robbed, and murdered by a highwayman on a road from South Hadley to Ludlow. His horse brought him home.

The police of Springfield, Chicopee, Holyoke, and Ludlow are scouring the places around Ludlow for the murderer.

## NOTICE

The Elmwood Conservatory Music Dramatic Art, Buffalo, N. Y. Term opens September 10. Application to teachers and special courses should be made at once. Early registration necessary to receive the many advantages offered in all departments. Two fine catalogs issued.

G STREET EXTENSION  
URGED ON COMMISSIONERS

At a meeting of the Fairmount Heights Citizens' Association a petition was framed and sent to the Commissioners of the District urging the extension of G street from Minnesota avenue to the District Boulevard.

They declare that their "community" of seventy-two houses and 300 inhabitants has to trespass upon private property in order to reach the highway.

Commissioner Morrow said this morning that he had not seen the petition, but that this request had been carefully considered previously and that he considered it unwise to grant the request at this time.

## EXTRA

Is there a woman in Washington who has not heard of the \$8 to \$25 Waists lately sold here at \$2.98? Did not thousands learn of the news too late? Have not nearly as many thousands asked if such bargains were possible again?

## Extra

The Palais Royal "Chief" who concluded this latest, greatest, and every way best deal will vouch for this statement of the maker: "I am losing three times the amount of money I am receiving of you for these Waists." That this statement is literally true will not be disputed by those knowing the "Marquise" Waists and their makers.

## EXTRA

Famous for many years, the "Marquise" are now the most famous waists in the world, being the favorite make of the elite in both London and Paris, where they are distributed from the most exclusive of the exclusive shops. They are both ultra-fashionable, immaculate in fit and of miraculously perfect needlework.

## EXTRA

Some of these waists—to be included in the sale tomorrow—are trimmed with exquisite laces, alone worth more than five dollars. The arrangement and the needlework, beautiful beyond words to express, are visions of loveliness that only the imagination or one's own eyes can comprehend.

## EXTRA

Rules of the sale the same as governed the late distribution—\$2.98 the price; none to dealers; not more than two to any one purchaser; none sent C. O. D.; none sent on approval; none sold, either to employees or outside patrons, before Friday, August 30, 1907, at 8 a. m.

## The Palais Royal

G and Eleventh Streets  
Northeast Corner

PROMISE NOT TO WED.  
TEACHERS GIVEN JOBS

MAHANOCY CITY, Pa., Aug. 23.—Before they were assigned to their departments for the term at the opening of the public schools here the fifty teachers signed contracts to teach the entire term.

This is done to discourage the feminine teachers marrying during the term. Last year so many resignations were received that the directors waxed hot under the collar.

YOUTH WITH \$100 JEWELS  
GOING TO VIRGINIA TOWN

Leroy Miller, an eighteen-year-old boy from Sandusky, Ohio, who was locked up at the Fifth precinct police station last night for the Charlottesville, Va., authorities, will be taken there this afternoon. An officer from Charlottesville arrived in Washington this morning.

When arrested, Miller had about \$100 worth of jewelry in his possession. The police say the boy admitted having stolen the articles from the home of Mrs. Sallie S. Boswell, in Charlottesville.

## The Palais Royal

A. LISNER

Have you read that "Extra"? Know that tomorrow's visitors will positively secure choice of 985 Waists, worth up to \$25 each at only \$2.98 for choice? Don't be a doubter—and defer a visit! Some were doubters during a late similar distribution and have been mad with themselves ever since.

## Holiday Preparations

Holiday Saturday afternoon, all day Sunday and Monday! Tomorrow will be your shopping day. You need to be prepared—whether 'tis to be a trip out of town or a jollification at home.

## Hat or Ruff, \$2.48

Some Were \$7.50  
Is the hat looking deplorable? Why not a new one, when \$2.48 suffices for a \$6 or \$7.50 hat? And what more effective adjunct than these filmy, cloud-like Ruffs. Pay \$2.48 instead of \$4.98 to \$6.98.  
5c for 25c to 30c Neckwear, including Ascot Stocks, Bowls, Line-embroidered Buster Brown Collars, Linen Stocks, etc.  
8c for pretty Lawn Ties, with deep embroidery ends; all white and embroidered in navy and red.  
13c for Laundered and Embroidered Linen Collars, sizes 12 to 14. Guaranteed to be 20c quality.

## \$11.98 for \$16.50 Suits

\$3.98 for \$5.00 Taffeta Waists  
A chance for one dozen women to procure the new autumn edition of the Prince Chap Suits at a saving of more than four dollars. \$3.98 instead of \$5 for the new Tailor-made Black Taffeta Silk Shirt Waists is another fleeting price surprise.

## Reduced to \$2.98

Girls' Suits Only \$1.79  
Bathing Suits that were up to \$6.50 are now all included at \$2.98 for choice. Girls' Suits at only \$1.79. All sizes will be here tomorrow morning—but no promise made for the future.

## Caps and Shoes, 19c and 39c

They were 25c to 35c. Please don't wear an ugly cap—especially when you can now get the French styles here at only 19c and 39c.

## Corsets, 39c, 79c and \$1.39

For bathing or dress occasions. 39c for the erstwhile 50c and 75c Corsets and Girdles. 79c for the late \$1 to \$1.50 Corsets; \$1.39 for \$2.50 to \$3.50 Corsets.

## Satchel, 69c or \$5.98

The one is imitation and the other is real alligator. Stand off a bit—and you'll hardly know which is which. Go to Basement Floor for these Bags, Suit Cases, and Trunks.

\$2.98 for \$5 Traveling Trunks, canvas covered, iron bottom, brass lock and catches, tray and hat box.  
\$3.48 for \$4.75 40-inch Packing Trunks, canvas covered, with two locks, for travel or travel, iron bound, iron bottom, brass trimmings, best catches, two straps, two trays and hat box.  
\$9.75 for \$12.50 Dress suitcases, 40-inch, lined, two trays and hat box; two leather straps, best brass lock and catches.  
\$2.39 for \$3.75 Suit Cases, 24-inch size, with straps; linen lined; brass lock.  
\$3.98 for \$5 Suit Cases, 24-inch size, with two straps around, made on steel frame, hand sewed, linen lined, with shirt fold.

## Stockings at 21c &amp; 29c

Price surprises—29c for best of new 35c Black Ingrain Dyed Dropstitch Lisle Hose, with white heels and toes. Only 21c for best 25c Fast-black Lisle Hose, with plain and lace ankles.

## \$1.33 for \$2.00 Petticoats

The Petticoat that fits the hips snugly, but smothered in laces and embroideries below the knees. Rarely good bargains at \$1.33.

## Need Gloves?

Long Silk Lisle Gloves, black and white. All sizes. Were \$1.25. Reduced to 79c.  
Lisle Gloves, 2-clasp, white and black. Some were 90c. Reduced to 24c.  
Long Lisle Gloves, white only. Reduced from 75c to 42c.  
Best 16-button-length Milan Silk Gloves. Reduced from \$1.88 to \$1.25.

## Need a Veil?

White Lace Veils: can be washed; 1½ yards long. Were \$1.50. Reduced to 89c.  
Fancy Mesh Veils, with ribbon border; in black, brown, and navy; 1½ yards long. Were \$1.50. Reduced to 50c.

## A Parasol?

White and colored linen and silk Parasols; embroidered, tucked, and hemstitched. Some were 99c. Reduced to 50c.  
Children's Parasols that sold at \$1 are finally reduced to 50c.

## Need These?

50c to 75c Lace-trimmed Handkerchiefs are finally reduced to 39c.  
Usual 35c Handkerchiefs for 25c and 15c Handkerchiefs to be 10c only.  
Pad Hose Supporters, plain and fancy elastic, quality made to retail at 35c. Reduced to 16c.  
Dress Shields, all sizes and every pair warranted. Fair 7c.

## The PALAIS ROYAL

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